NORWICH, CONN., FRIDAY, JUNE 25, 1909.

# SUIT DISMISSED

Against the N. Y., N. H. & H. and the Boston & Maine Railroads

FOR VIOLATION OF ANTI-TRUST LAW

St. Petersburg, June 24.—The funeral of Frederick De Martens, professor of international law at the university of St. Petersburg, who died in this city June 20, occurred at St. Petersburg. States Setting Forth the Reasons for the Govern
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Washington, June 24.—The attorney general today directed the dismissal of the government's suit against the New York, New Haven & Hartford and the Boston & Maine railroads and others, for violation of the anti-trust law.

Statement by the Attorney General.

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"The attorney general received to lay a certified copy of the act raised by the legislature of Massachusets and approved last Friday by the government is suit was determined upon, however, the supreme judicial court of Massachusetts in a case involving the right of the New Haven road to acquire trolley properties in Massachusetts has decided that the railroad company has been parting with such trolley properties. Upon this question the attorney general is convinced that whatever may have been the merit of the claim when the suit was begun, there is not now in this case any such clement of competition in interestate commerce by reason of such ownership of trolley lines as would justify a further prosecution of the action. The attorney general has determined to dismiss the government's action. In that action, the further complaint was made that the New Haven railroad had acquired a number of rolley lines in Massachusetts and adjoining states, and that this was a combination in restraint of interstate commerce. Since the government's suit was determined to interstate the supreme judicial court of Massachusetts in the supreme judicial court of Mass following statement:

"The attorney general received today a certified copy of the act rased
by the legislature of Massachuseus
and approved last Friday by the generation Railroad Holding company. This
act authorizes the new corporation
created under it to acquire and hold
all or any part of the stock and bonds
of the Boston & Maine Railroad Co.
and further authorizes any railroad
corporation theretofore incorporated
under the laws of Massachusetts to
acquire and hold the stock and bonds
of the Boston Holding company. of the Boston Holding company.

"The purpose and effect of this statute, as publicly announced and as con-

templated by its terms is to authorize the consolidation of the Boston & Maine Railroad Co. and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co. "This is to be accomplished first by the Boston Holding company acquir-ing the control of the Boston & Maine Railroad Co., and next by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Rail-road Co. acquiring control of the Bos-

road Co. acquiring control of the Boston Holding company.

"The statute referred to further provides that the stock of the Boston & Maine to be acquired by the Holding company shall not hereafter be sold without express authority from the legislature and that the stock of the Molding company if scanified by the legislature and that the stock of the Holding company, if acquired by the New Haven road, shall not hereafter be sold without express authority of the legislature. Finally, it is provided that the commonwealth of Massachusetts may, at any time, by an act of the legislature upon one year's notice take for its own use, by purchase or otherwise, all the stocks and holdings of the company on certain terms designed to protect creditors and secure just compensation, the whole plan and purpose being to permit the consolidation of the Boston & Maine with the New Haven company and to pro-

solidation of the Boston & Maine with the New Haven company and to provide for their operation hereafter under one management with safeguards to project the interests of the people of Massachusetts.

"In view of the fact that the suit of the United States now pending against the New York, New Haven & Hartford and the Boston & Maine railroad companies, for a violation of the anti-trusts act rests almost entirely upon a claim that these companies had aiready consolidated by means of stock to the federal suits against the New York, New Haven & Hartford and Boston & Maine railroads. President C. S. Mellen of the New Haven de the following statement:

"I have no official notification of the dismissal of the federal suit, but assuming that the press reports are correct, it would seem as if there withdrawal by the attorney consolidated by means of the federal suits against the New York, New Haven & Hartford and Boston & Maine railroads. President C. S. Mellen of the New Haven and Boston & Paddock, who later became bishop of Washington. Mrs. Paddock who later became bishop of Washington. Mrs. Paddock survives her husband, and there are two daughters, Mrs. Edwin C. Johnson, 2d. and Miss Mary Huntington Paddock, who resides at home. Dr. ready consolidated by means of stock trol of the Boston & Maine stock and ownership and since the community most directly affected is the state of he will be willing to relinquish that Massachusetts, whose laws now ex-

ARRIVES FROM NEWPORT

Will Start Its Season on Saturday-

Capt, Henry Phelps in Charge-Wil-

The steamer Block Island arrived here from Newport on Thursday after-

In charge again this year is Capt. Henry Phelps, while Allie Hazard is the first pilot. As chief engineer, Wil-

at New London, according to the plan

of the New England Navigation com-pany's officials. She will begin he season on June 25 and will take of

passengers at the wharf. As far as the T. A. Scott company, the contractors, are concerned, a landing might be

made there today, but some prepara-tions will be made to safely send aboard and take off the Block Island's

Unomcially it is said that the Nor

wich liners will land at the wharf first on Saturday night, July 10. The wharf will be in condition then to allow the loading and unloading of freight be-

CONVENTION WILL BE HERE.

County Baptists Will Meet at First

Church in September.

was here Thursday to attend a meet-ing of the programme committee for the New London County Baptist asso-

London church agreed to take the con-vention, inasmuch as the date of it would conflict with the anniversary

celebration of the town, as then ar-ranged, but now that the celebration takes place July 5 and 8 the First

church will have it as originally plan-

STEAMER BLOCK ISLAND

liam Damas Chief Engineer.

# Condensed Telegrams

Berlin, June 24.—The government was defeated in the reichstag today, 195 votes to 187, on the proposal to extend inheritance taxes to direct de-

Liverpool, June 24.—A cable despatch from the salvage company says it will be impossife to float the Cunard line steamsh. Slavonia that wene went ashort on Flores island, Azores, a fortnight ago.

OBITUARY.

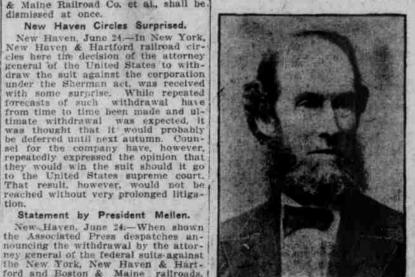
Dr. Lewis S. Paddock. The death of Dr. Lewis S. Paddock occurred at the Backus hospital at 6.45 o'clock Thursday morning. For the past two months his health had not been godd, but for the past three days he had been seriously ill, havnig been operated upon Sunday for bladder trouble.

trouble.

Dr. Lewis Stoat Paddock was born in Norwich, Dec. 10, 1829, the son of Rev. Seth B. Paddock, a native of Middletown, and Emily Flagg Paddock, who was born in Cheshire in this state. Dr. Paddock graduated from Trinity college in 1850, and four years later received the degree of M. D. from the New York Medical college. He spent some time in New York hospitals and then returned to Norwich and practiced his profession here with marked success.

His father for almost 23 years was rector of the church now known as Trinity Episcopal church and was esteemed as a minister. He built the house on Jail Hill which for years was occupied by the Prentice family. Dr. Paddoek followed the religion of his father, and was one of the leading members of Christ church for years. He had held the office of warden and was a vestryman for years.

Dr. Paddock when a young man was married in Brooklyn, N. Y. to Miss Mary E. Addoms by his brother, Rev.



son, 2d, and Miss Mary Huntington Paddock, who resides at home. Dr. Paddock was one of a number of children, and only one survives, Miss Emily Paddock, who is a resident of this city at uresent. Two of the brothers of Dr. Paddock became histops in the Episcopal chuhch—Rev. Benjamin H. Paddock, who was at the head of the diocese in Mssachusetts, and Rev. John A. Paddock, who was bishop of the diocese comprised by the state of Washington. state of Washington.

Dr. Paddock was a member of the mational, state and county medical associations, and took much interest in them. He had been president of the last named organization and had read

last named organization and had read many papers at its meetings. Since the opening of the Backus hospital he was the consulting physician.

Dr. Paddock had been medical examiner of Norwich for a number of years, in which office he was an excellent official. Among medical men Dr. Paddock was highly esteemed, both as to personal qualifications and for his medical knowledge, his advice being sought often in critical cases. He has been one of Norwich's most prominent physicians, and was a close student of the progress in the medical and surgical world. He was the first one to be operated upon here for appendicitis, which operation took place many years ago. He possessed an amiable and sympathetic disposition, being a man of sterling characteristics and in every way a model citizen. His loss is a severe one to the medical profession here, as well as to the community at large, as he possessed many friends.

Dr. Paddock cared little for public

nany friends.

Dr. Paddock cared little for public life, and never sought preferment from the people. When not engaged in his professional work he was to be found in his home, and there he took his chief delight. He was a most devoted husband, and as a father was kindly and considerate.

Thursday moraing the trial of the case of Patrick L. Harrington of Norwich vs. Annie E. Downing and others of Webster, was commenced. This was over some work which the plaintiff claimed he had been engaged to do for the commenced. \$525 in placing a monument on the defendants lot in the Catholic cemetery at Lisbon.

All the witnesses for the plaintiff

and one for the defense had testified when court adjourned in the afternoon and the case went over until Tues-day. There will be short calendar to-

#### OBITUARY.

Sarah Orne Jewett, Litt. D. South Berwick, Me., June 24.-An illness lasting many months ended to-night in the death of Miss Sarah Orne Jewett, Litt. D., author of many books and regarded as one of the foremost women writers of America. Since last March Miss Jewett has been at her old home here, where for man- years she had been accustomed to pass her summers, and it was there that her death occurred at 6.40 this evening. She was a sufferer from apoplexy and

The house where Miss Jewett was born on Sept. 3, 1849, has been in the possession of the Jewett family since 1740. It is a fine old Coionial mancommission of the Jewett family since 1740. It is a fine old Colonial manison and has welcomed within its doors many of the literary celebrities of this country and Europe. Miss Jewett was the daughter of Dr. Theodore H. and Caroline F. (Perry) Jewett. She was clucated at Barwick academy in the neighboring town of Berwick, Her first literary venture was Deep Haven, published in 1877. This was followed by Play Days, Old Friends and New Country By-ways A Country Doctor. A Marsh Island, The Story of the Normans, and many others, her last book being The Tory Love, published.

### Mrs. Gould Denies Duties on Shoes All Charges Increased

AGAINST HER MADE BY WIT- FROM 15 TO 20 PER CENT. AD NESSES FOR THE OTHER SIDE. VALOREM.

#### **DEPOSITION OF FARNUM**

Denied All Allegations of Improper Conduct With Mrs. Gould-The Case May Be Closed Today.

New York, June 24.—Katherine Clemmons Gould was called back to the stand for a final ordeal today, to explain away, if possible, the damaging testimony given by the witnesses for her husband in her suit for separation and alimony of \$256,000 a year. A Day of Denials.

It was a day of denials, beginning with the reading of the deposition of Dustin Farnum, the actor, who denied all allegations of improper conduct with Mrs. Gould, and ending with Mrs. Gould's repeated denials of practically everything in word or action attributed to her by the witnesses for the other side.

For two warm hours, Mrs. Gould tically everything in word or action attributed to her by the witnesses for the other side.

For two warm hours, Mrs. Gould, looking for the first time somewhat Senator Beveridge talked for about

#### SENATE TARIFF DISCUSSION Duty on Sole Leather Also Increased Size of Tobacco Packages-Bailey

Talks About Free Raw Material.

Washington, June 24 .- A short time before adjournment tonight at seven o'clock the senate returned to the con-sideration of the schedules of the tarsideration of the schedules of the tariff bill after devoting the greater part
of the day to listening to prepared
speeches, and adopted amendments
increasing the duties on shoes from
15 to 20 per cent. ad valorem and
increasing duty on sole leather from
5 to 10 per cent ad valorem, the lower figure representing the house rate in each case. An amendment includ-ing the duty on collodion was adopted. Three Prepared Speeches.

### 250th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION Founding of Norwich, July 5th and 6th

uncomfortable in her smothering black satin gown, answered the carefully framed questions of her counsel, re-pudinting with monotonous denial all testimony and insinuations charging rendered her with excessive drinking, profan-journed.

Gets Down to Specific Instances. Getting down to specific instances, she told her counsel that she had nev-er tried to hitch up a pair of mules, had never ordered a table full of dishes and fever ordered a table full of dishes and food thrown from her St. Regis apartments, had never referred to Dustin Farnum as "my new beau," never quarreled with her husband before company, never had a coachman's arm about her waist to hold her in the carriage seat, never discharged an employe in anger, never became intoxicated aboard the Niagara, never consumed two quarts of cocktails in two days.

the stage and wanted to talk the mat-ter over with Mr. Farnum, who, I was convinced, would be able to help me."

Case May End Today. Mrs. Gould went over the occasion from the time she first met Dustin Farnum in 1904 at a "charity benefit" down to the present time. She hadn't seen Farnum, she said, from 1904 until 1906, when she talked with him bout returning to the stage.
It is believed the case will be closed

### MATTRESS FACTORY BURNED DURING THUNDER STORM.

Struck by Lightning and a Horse Was Killed-Nothing Saved, Although Owner Was Partially Insured.

During the thunder storm on Thursday afternoon, shortly after 2 o'clock, the fattress factory of Morris Sussman off Spring street, which was at one time part of the old ropewalk, was struck by dightning and burned to the cround together with the contents. ground, together with the contents. A horse which was in oneend was killed and burned. The loss is estimated at about \$5,000, while the insurance is

building was a mass of flames and being but one story high and filled with many mattresses and a quantity of the material used in their many questions the material used in their distributions the building is back of the Mechanic street silk mill and the paint on the mill was blistered and the shingles on two houses adjoining caught and were put out by chemicals.

The recall was sounded in about a

Telephone Wires Damaged. There was much excitement in the telephone exchange during the storm and so bad did the electricity come in that it was necessary to quit work there for a few minutes. The most damage was at Norwich Town, howa cable, cutting it in two. It was a fifty pair cable and while trouble men were at once at work on it and it was again placed in position there are forty lines in trouble now, while the storm caused sixty phones to be put our commission. It will take several days to clear it all up.

Damage to Electronic with Mr. Murphy, His proposition includes the leasing to the club of the dwelling house, at the renear of which he proposes to build a hall with two bowling alleys underneath. It is expected to make the change of quarters by (ic. D. K. Brown, report).

four hours and was followed by Mr. Bailey at almost as great length. Mr. Newlands was last of the orators of the day, and he had not long surrendered the floor when the senate ad-

The Size of Tobacco Packages. The theme of Mr. Beveridge's discourse was an amendment proposed by him regarding the size of tobacco packages. He contended that while the size of the packages had been reduced during the Spanish war with the end in view of compelling the purchaser to pay the war tax, those sizes have never been restored nor the prices reduced notwithstanding the removal of the tax; thus practically the tobacco manufacturars and especially the tobacco trust has the advantage of the tax even though it has The theme of Mr. Beveridge's disthe tobacco manufacturers and espe-cially the tobacco trust has the ad-vantage of the tax even though it has

the income tax question, devoting spe-cial resolution to the president's re-ciution for a corporation tax. He dis-cussed at length the legislation of 1898, providing a tax or excession. Cussed at length the legislation of 1858, providing a tax on gross oil refineries, on which the Spreckels case was decided by the supreme court, and which is relied on by the president as a precedent for the proposed corporation tax. He pointed out especially that the law of 1898 was applicable not to corporations alone, but to every person, firm, company and corporation carrying on such business, and suggested that a tax applying only to corporations might violate the legislational requirement of uniformity.

#### OSCAR LEWISHO KILLED. Husband fof Former Actress Edna May in Auto Accident.

Berlin, June 24.—A report reached Berlin tonight that Oscar Lewishon, the husband of Edna May, the former actrees, was killed in an automobile accident between Vienna and Berlin to-

Attempted Wife Murder and Suicide at Bridgeport.

about \$5,000, while the insurance is said to be about \$1,000.

The fire company on West Main street had been notified and was on the way when an alarm was sent in from box 14 and a quick run was made by the other companies, although in Broadway and at Shannon's corner there were some close calls, one team at the corner being struck by the chief's wagoh.

It is thought the lightning came in by the electric motor and soon the building was a mass of flames and being but one story high and filled with many mattresses and a quantity of the material used in their manufacture was soon beyond saving. The building is back of the Mechanic street into heer left breast. They have no children.

## OPEN HOUSE CLUB TO HAVE NEW QUARTERS

out by chemicals.

The recall was sounded in about a half hour, but one company remained there until about 7.30, as the fire continued to burn in the mattresses. The old ropewalk building burned in 1873 and this end of it was rebuilt. In Spring and Mechanic streets the small waterpipes handicap the department.

The horse which was killed was insured with E. G. Rawson. Saul Taylor had his face somewhat burned at the fire, while much help was given by the employes of the silk mill.

Mr. Sussman is anxious to rebuild and get his husiness going again at once. The building was owned by Charles Slosberg.

Telephone Wires Damaged. less expensive than the other plans, showing quarters in the Case property on Main street opposite the postoffice. When put to a vote the membership showed a strong preference for the Case property, which has lately been purchased by William H. Murphy. This was voted for and the president was directed to appoint a committee to close the contract with Mr. Murphy.

### Cabled Paragraphs

Timothy L. Woodruff said he thought the anti-Tammany forces might nom-mate a republican for mayor of New York.

A Despatch from Honolulu indicated that the Japanese strikers on the plantations would soon make terms with the owners.

Lord Rothschild, Lord Avebury and Sir Felix Schuster denounced the pro-visions of the budget as socialistic and

The Rebels in Morocco were reported at the gates of Fez, and a battle was expected. Europeans were preparing to flee from the city.

The Third Avenue Railroad reor-ganization plan was said to provide for a heavy assessment and a new issue of about \$5,000,000 of stock. Despatcher from London saying that

America would be confent with 30 per cent, of the recent Chinese railway loan were not confirmed at Washington. Prof. H. F. Osborn presented a bust of Darwin to Christ's college, Cam-bridge, at the centenary celebration.

A degree was conferred on Justice O. W. Holmes. The Public Service Commission allowed the case of the South Shore company's franchise to go to the appellate division to get a speedy de-

ision on the commission's powers, The Combination of the Continental National bank and the America Trust and Savings bank was amounced in Chicago. The merged institutions have deposits of more than \$100,000,000.

Mrs. Horace Jayne of Philadelphia died from typhoid fever, the sacrifice of her brother, Dr. William H. Fur-ness, in giving a quart of his blood for transfusion to her veins proving

William Verplanck Birney, an artist of New York, died from apoplexy while driving his automobile at Saratoga-Springs, his wife, who was with him.

not becoming conscious of his death until the car swerved. Charles F. Brooker Testified at the suit of Charles H. Kavanaugh against the directors of the defunct Trust

Company of the Republic that although a director and a member of the executive committee of the company he knew nothing of the loans made to finance the Shipbuilding company. WOMAN'S NUDE BODY FOUND IN MARYLAND CREEK.

Skull Crushed In-Face Herribly Disfigured-Murderer Surrounded in

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Explained Her Friendship for Farnum.

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midnight. Roberts is believed to be heavily armed.

McQuay noticed a skulker near his home late last night and called to him. He came to the house and asked for water. Recognizing him as Roberts. McQuay invited him into the house and sent his wife secretly to notify neighbors, by whom the house was surrounded.

#### UNABATED HEAT.

New York Hospitals Crowded with Prostrations-36 Cases Yesterday.

New York, June 24.—The fourth day of unabated heat kept the hospitals crowded with prostrations and the list of deaths and suicides that always accompany lowered vitality and spirits still swelling. At a late hour there had been recorded 36 cases of prostra-

In the middle of a breathless night the thermometer still registered \$0. This afternoon it was officially \$2, with many thermometers on the street registering \$5. At 3 o'clock it got to \$8 on the street. 39TH REUNION VETERAN

### MASONIC ASSOCIATION

Held at New Hartford-Officers Chosen-Next Reunion at Norwalk.

New Hartford, June 24.—At the 39th reunion of the Veteran Masonic association today, Venerable Master Tucker of Ansonia, Secretary Kibourns of Litchfield and Treasuren Atwood of Waterbury were named to revise the by-laws. Officers chosen were:

Venerable Master — Reuben H. Tucker of Ansonia.

eroy of Willimantic, David W. Hompson of Bridgeport, Henry J. Smith of
Ansonia, Henry F. Parker of Coventry, Joseph W. Vodwarks of New
London, Albert L. Hedge of Roxbury,
Robert W. Burke of Middletown.

Cales Versy June 24. The heat of Secretary-D. C. Kilbourne, Litch-

Treasurer-H. W. Atwood of Wa-Registrar-Harold B. Waldo of Glastonbury.
Marshal-John D. Bishop of Tor-Sentinel-E. M. Platt of Winches

One delegation of the veterans went to Pleasant Valley for dinner, while the other, numbering 300, dined in the town hall here, and later went to the monument exercises.

It was voted to hold the next re-

# Early Capture of Ling Not Probable

UP EACH HOUR.

#### DAY OF REST FOR SIN

After Thirty-Four Hours of Continuous Grilling-Report That a War Between the Tongs is Impending.

New York, June 24.—With all indi-cations of an early capture of Elsie Sige's murderer rapidly narrowing down to an improbability, while at the same time a fresh crop of rumers springs up with each hour, or added uncertainty, another day of the in-vestigation by police, detectives and district attorney, neded tonight.

#### Chung Sin Resting.

Chung Sin, after thirity-four hours of continuous grilling, with but one intermission for sleep, had a day of rest at last. Either because the ince despair of squeezing more information out of him, or because they believe that if he is left for a space to forget the details of his first answers he may entagle himself in more contradictions, they did not question him today.

Rumor of War Between Tongs. A rumor that a war between the Tongs was impending because of Chu Gain's revelations to the pelics, found momentary confirmation in the arrest late this afternoon of a lone Chinaman with a 35-calibre revolver tucked under his blouse, but the polics said tonight that they were unable to connect him with any concerted plan for an uprising. an uprising.

A Bit of Authentic Information.

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The one bit of authentic information turned up today did not help much in forwarding the search for Leon Ling. This information came from Chun Gain, who explained that the \$256 advanced to Chung Sin, Leon Ling's roommate, did not come out of his private purse. The pelice have been much pursled as to this loan, because the very fact of its existence involved a contradiction. Why should Chu Gain, who lived in terror of his rival, seon Ling, lend money to that rival's known intimate?

Chu Gain explained today that the money was part of a loan fund of the Chinese Empire Raform association, of which he' is treasurer. Chu Gain had nothing better than a private surmise as to where the money was going, and in his official capacity of treasurer he could not be influenced by coinjecture one way or the other.

for the last known time, and he is accused of having committed the murder. The motive for the crime is at present a mystery.

St. Michaels, Md., June 25.—At 11 o'clock last night word reached here that Roberts had been surrounded in claim and that they have no interest.

St. Michaels, Md., June 25.—At 11 o'clock last night word reached here that Roberts had been surrounded in the house of John Br McQuay at Coyman, seven miles from here and about one and a half miles from the bungalow where the murder was committed, A posse left here in automobiles at midnight. Roberts is believed to be heavily armed.

McQuay noticed a skulker near his home late last night and called to him. He came to the house and asked for water. Recognizing him as Roberts, McQuay invited him into the house condicting statements. concile these conflicting statements bear no fruit. The individual members

#### PRACTICE RACING STARTS.

have orders not to talk

Crimson Boats Have Light Practice-Bonfire to Celebrate Baseball Vietory Over Yale.

Red Top, June 24.—Extreme heat prevented the Harvard craws from taking other than light practice both this morning and afternoon. Tenight there is a general celebration at the quarters with a large bondre and fire-works in celebration of the baseball had been recorded 36 cases of prostra-tion and three suicides, one of which was a dog.

In the middle of a breathless night the thermometer still registered so.

The longest row in the morning's

For the evening practice, the varsity eight went down stream for a mile and a half in short stretches, returning to the float is the same manner. Wray coached them from a single shell, paying especial attention to a quick, hard catch and finish. On the stretches a stroke of 30 was used.

The freshman eight rowed down to

Waterbury were named to recise the by-laws. Officers chosen were:
Venerable Master — Reuben H. Tucker of Ansenia.
Assistant Venerable Master—John O. Rowland of Wallingford.
Associate Masters—J. C. E. Humphrey of Simsbury, Charles B. Pomeroy of Willimantic, David W. Thomperoy of William W. Smith of W. Smith o

Gales Ferry, June 24.—The heat of today was so great that the Tale crews did not go on the water unfit just before sunset. The men sat around in the shade during the merning, devoting all their energy to keeping cool.

The three fours were the first te go out tonight, rowing down stream two miles and return at a slow stream. The varsity and freshmen eights followed, going upstream for two and three-quarter miles in one stretch. On the return the freshmen were allowed a good start over the varsity, but were overtaken before the float was reached. The varsity rowed a 22 and the freshmen a slightly higher stroke. The freshmen showed a big improvement

freshmen a slightly higher stroke. The freshmen showed a big improvement over the past work, the varsity also rowing exceedingly well.

William Melkieham, the old Columbia oarsman, who has refereed the races for several years, and who will officiate at the coming one, will meet Captain Cutler of Harvard and Captain, Howe of Yale on Tuesday at Red Top. At the conference matters incident to the rowing of the race will be Top. At the conference matters inci-dent to the rowing of the race will be

discussed.

Julian Curtis arrived at quarters tonight and will remain for several days.

The following scores have been made in the roll-off this week of the handicap duckpin tournament at the Rose alleys: Hill and Combies 660, Ring and Bruce 656, Hill and McClafferty 834. Ring and Sturtvant 587. There are two more teams—Hill and J. Young. Tottey and Sturtevant—yet to roll to settle the prizes, which must be done

Injury to Private Property. Abraham Fox was arrested by Forficeman Majoney on Thursday charged
with injury to private property, in being claimed that he had ground the
name of the New York Mineral Spring
company off the syphon bottles of the

The government has just allowed a
claim for ice used in the Civil war. Abraham Fox was arrested by Po-

THIRD COMPANY TEAM Those Who Will Take Part at East

Corps Team. noon, having undergone a thorough overhauling as to woodwork and en-gines, and is in fine condition for the season which poens Saiurday. being eligible to make the state team for the national shoot. This morning Sergeant Ortmann will go there and the five will take part in the company shoots, the men representing the Theodompany of this city. They can be relied upon to give a good account of themselves at the range.

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the first pilot. As chief engineer, William Damas, from the Fall River line, has been placed on the boat, succeeding George Van Wart, who was on the boat for twenty-three years in that position. His assistant is William Cone. Edward Wigley is the steward and Walter Horton the purser. The mate is Charles Peterson and Mike Corey is the watchman this year, Steamer Block Island will be the RECITAL GIVEN BY Steamer Block Island will be the first steamer to make a landing at the newly constructed Norwich line whar

> A piano recital given Thursday evening at the Buckingham Memorial by
> the pupils of Prof. James H. White was
> well attended, and the programme presented was received with well earned
> applause for each number, as the work
> of the pupils showed how efficiently
> they had been instructed. Galligan's
> orchestra played while the audience
> was gathering, and also for dancing,
> from 10 to 12, after the programme had
> been concluded. Harry Mitchell and
> Thomas Galligan were the ushers.
> Assisting Professor White and his
> pupils in the recital were the well
> known local vocalists, Miss Mand Baker, soprano: James Henderson, tenor: A piano recital given Thursday even

to voice was heard with great pleasure and was a pronounced addition to the programme, which won recognition by the demand for encores, which she

the New London County Baptist asso-clation convention. The committee is composed of Rev. William T. Thayer and Rev. P. C. Wright of Norwich and Edward S. Doton of New London. The meeting was held at the home of Rev. W. T. Thayer on West Main street, Rev. Mr. Wright being assent as he is out of the city. The convention is to be held in this city at the First Baptist church in September. Some months ago a New London church agreed to take the con-

programme, which won recognition by the demand for encores, which she kindly gave.

The following was the programme, in which the good work of a number of the pupils was rewarded by encores and bouquets:

Plano solo, The Switzer's Farewell, Grand Fantasy, Miss Edith Boynton; plano solo, La Chasse Au Lion, Galop Brilliant, Miss Virginie Des Jardines; plano duet, Silvery Echoes, Reverie Op. 151, Misses Banfield and Green; vocal selection, Sunset, Mrs. Ones Gelino; piano solo, Throwing Kisses, Mazurka Brilliant, Master Milton Osborn; plano solo, Fifth Nocturne, Miss Gladys Elliott; piano solo, Il Trovatore, Master Willie Huber; vocal duet, Oh, That We Two Were Maying, Miss Maud Baker and J. Henderson; plano solo, The Glow Worm, Miss Katherine Casey; plano solo, Repaz Band, March, Master Oliver Buddington; piano solo, The Silver Nyanph, Mazurka Brilliant, Miss Lang Cresson; vacal selections.

# AT STATE SHOOT.

Case Shall Be Dismissed at Once.

The attorney general had directed that the case of the United States against the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co. and the Boston & Maine Railroad Co. et al., shall be.

New Haven Circles Surprised.

New Haven, June 24 -- In New York,

New Haven & Hartford railroad cir-cles here the decision of the attorney general of the United States to with-

draw the suit against the corporation under the Sherman act, was received with some surprise. While repeated

eached without very prolonged litiga-Statement by President Mellen. New-Haven, June 24:-When shown the Associated Press despatches an-

ouncing the withdrawal by the attor-

dismissed at once

Haven Range This Week-Four on On Thursday afternoon Sergeant Denison and Private Mason left for the East Haven range and in the even-ing Captain Hagberg and Lieutenant Coleman left to be there this morning. they having been selected as members of the Coast Artillery corps team, they

PROF. WHITE'S PUPILS. Programme Finely Carried Out at the

Buckingham Memorial.

er, soprano; James Henderson, tenor; and Archibald Mitchell, 4th, basso, and Mrs. Ones Gelino of Lowell, Mass, a sister of Professor White, and leading contralte soloist in the First Universal-ist church. Mrs. Gelino's rich contral-

The Silver Nymph, Mazurka Brilliant, Miss Lucy Gregson; vacal selections, Under the Rose, Maiden and the But-terfly, Angus McDonald, Mrs. Ones Gelino; piano duet, La Chasse Infernal, Misses Emma and Katle Babcock; pi-ano solo, Under the Stars and Stripes. Frank E. Miner; piano solo, In the Swing, Mazurka, Miss Hazel Banfield; piano solo, Whither, Miss Emma Bab-cock; vocal se'ections, Jack and Jill, Mrs. Gelino, Miss Saker, Mr. Hender-son and Mr. Mitcheh. Fruit punch and cake were served during the dancing.